POST 40-Hour Field Training Officer Course

Group Four

Case Study Block 12 Legal

TRAINEE

Deputy Aaron Gates

Trainee Bio

Deputy Gates is a 21-year-old male with a high school education. He lives with his parents. He has worked as a clerk in an auto parts store since high school, but has always wanted to be a deputy sheriff. Deputy Gates put himself through an extended basic police academy while still working as an assistant manager at the auto parts store. He was an average student in the academy. The academy staff noted that while he gave 100% effort at all times, he was only able to graduate in the middle of his class.

Scenario Description – Legal and Liability Issues for FTOs

Referring to the case study information from the Intervention block, what would the potential legal and liability issues be had you not intervened in the scenario?